

# News from Senator George M. Borrello

## 57th Senate District

Representing Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, and portions of Livingston County

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### **SENATOR BORRELLO CALLS FOR LT. GOV. BENJAMIN TO RESIGN**

*Said Federal Charges Will Disrupt Final Weeks of Senate Session*

ALBANY – Sen. George Borrello called on Lt. Gov. Brian Benjamin to resign following Benjamin’s arrest Tuesday on federal corruption charges.

“I think he should step down because as Lieutenant Governor, he is the president of the state Senate and the presiding officer, in which he has taken a very active role. I can’t see how he can lead the Senate while answering these charges without it turning the final weeks of the legislative session into a shambles. He deserves his day in court, but these allegations are very troubling,” Sen. Borrello said.

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